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IN RE APPLICATION OF	:	
KOZO TAKATSU, ET AL.	:	EXAMINER: SINGH, PREM C.
SERIAL NO: 10/540,881	:	
FILED: JANUARY 18, 2006	:	GROUP ART UNIT: 1797
FOR: METHOD FOR REMOVING SULFUR COMPOUND IN HYDROCARBON-CONTAINING GAS	:	"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116- EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP <u>1797</u> ".

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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